



Group Art Unit: 4896

Examiner: Phillip Gambel

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s)

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For

ANTIBODIES WITH SPECIFICITY FOR

A COMMON EPITOPE ON SELECTIN MOLECULES

Assistant Commissioner of Patents -Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

The following Amendment and Response is in reply to the final rejection of claims 1-34 dated March 7, 1995 in the parent application Ser. No. 08/064,505. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections is respectfully requested in view of the following.

In the title:

Delete [Antibodies with Specificity for a Common Epitope on Selectins Molecules] and insert -- Antibodies with Specificity for a Common Epitope on E-Selectin and L-Selectin --.

In the Specification:

On page 1, line 2, after the recitation of "this is a" insert - { a continuation of Serial No.

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On page 71, line 27 delete [long] and insert -- lung --.